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Mail subscribers are likewise invited to report to us whenever their papers come late or irregularly.

THE NEGRO POSTMASTER.

The McKinley-Hanna administration has deliberately incensed and insulted the people of Virginia by appointing a negro postmaster at Junta, in Franklin county. At small post-offices like that, the postmaster is thrown into constant communication with the patrons of the office Usually he has no assistants or clerks, and when, for instance, a lady calls for her letters, or comes in to buy stamps, or to make enquiries, she must do business with the postmaster himself. And in this case that officer is a negro!

That the community in question feels outraged by this appointment is natural. It could not be otherwise in Virginia, and the officials at Washington well knew it would be so when they foisted this black man upon the patrons of the Junta office. It is a mean-spirited, contemptible act, for which the appointing power, and all who boosted Tryman for this position, must be held responsible.

Junta is not a presidential office, but the man who signed Tryman's commission is one of the assistants of the Post master-General, and as such is the agent of the Postmaster-General and of the President. Hitherto the administration has been careful not to offend public sentiment in Virginia in this respect, though in other Southern States time and again it has appointed negroes as postmasters, marshals, etc.

It is not quite clear to us why this new departure has been made in Virginia. At the first blush it would appear that it would be impossible for the Republican party to profit by raising the race issue in this State; but there is another view that may be fairly taken. The negro voters of Virginia have, of late, shown remarkable independence of their old tenders. In several of our congressional districts they have set up candidates of their own and are giving "the regulars" much trouble. Now it may be that the Washington administration is resolved to throw a tub to this troublesome black whale. Or, it may be that Postmaster Tryman's appointment is the forerunner of numerous other such appointments that are to come. In either event, there can be few white Virginians who contributed to the election of McKinley, even in the slightest degree, but who will pines at the hands of truculent Malays on that. be ashamed of their course.

We cannot have anything to do with Republicanism without being injured.

If the Hanna crowd had full swing here they would dot the State with negro party, and by weakening our defences make way for our enemies to seize and despoil our strongholds.

THE PEACE NEGOTIATIONS.

contrary, rumors of "litches" in the peace negotiations at Paris continue to reach us. On the whole, we rather imagine that these rumors are nearer the truth than the "diplomatic assurances." None the less, however, we see no occasion for the American mind to be disquieted by them.

As we have said before, hitches in the negotiations were to have been expected from the first. It would have been unreasonable to suppose that Spain would come to our terms per saltum. It is natural that she should seek to save all she can and reach peace by the path involving the least humiliation to ner. From her standpoint, that is simply the patriotic course. In fact, it would be the patriotic course from the standpoint of fair-minded man will think less of her for triding to preserve ber dignity by not be-

But when she shall have done her in the matter, she will yield. And for this reason if for no other-she is in ne condition to do otherwise. She is in no condition to kick effectively against the pricks. She has but the ghost of a navy left, her government is practically bankrupt, and her people are already taxed almost beyond the limit of endurance. Given this situation, and it becomes clear that attempt on her part to resume hostilities would be sheer mad-

No; there is no reason for disquiet as to the result of the negotiations unless it be that we, taking advantage of having Spain completely at our mercy, shall insist on grabbing the Philippines, and thus enter upon a career of imperialism.

ROSEBERY'S JINGOISM.

Wednesday Lord Rosebery, the Liberal leader and former Premier, made a speech at Epsom, and in referring to the Fashoda dispute, was jingoistle to the last degree. He cast diplomatic language to the winds, took the position that Great Britain had been affronted by France, negatively charged the Salisbury government with having been too conciliatory, and virtually threw down the gauntlet to the French nation.

Considering, however, his record and training, and his present relations to the British Government, France is not likely to take his Lordship as seriously as he takes himself. His outburst was simply another illustration of the truth of the adage, "Like master, like man." Rosebery was a scholar of Gladstone's,

and inherited the premiership from the latter. In his Epsom speech, in so far as it dealt with the Fashoda question, his Lordship but followed in the footsteps of his illustrious predecessor, and showed that he had been an appreciative pupil. We have the highest regard for Mr. Gladstone's personal character, and recognize that in more respects, perhaps, than any other Briton of his day he measured up to the highest standard of statesmanship. But the story of his career compels us to recognize, also, that as to British foreign policy he was infinitely more aggressive when out of power than when in power. Had he been as aggressive in power as when out of power, there would have been no necessity for Kitchener's Anglo-Egyptian Nile expedition. The Grand Old Man was great on for-

mulating when out of the ministry measures for the maintenance of British prestige abroad, but when in the ministry he failed to make these measures active practical forces. In this difference between Gladstone seeking the premiership and Gladstone holding the premiership was his weakness. Great Britain's rivals understood that weakness and presumed upon it and profited by it. By the same token, knowing, as they did, Rosebery's tutelage and inheritance, they did not worry much over his foreign policy when he was Premier. They judged the man by the master.

So we repeat, that France will hardly take his Lordship as seriously in this matter as he takes himself. Consequently, she is not likely to allow his speech to provoke her to the extent of antagonizing too far Lord Salisbury, who, it must be evident to her, really means business In short, Lord Rosebery's jingoism is not calculated to complicate the situation in the slightest.

TWO NOT OF A KIND. Editors always receive advice very gratefully, but they cannot but be embarrassed when a fellow uses the language of their own articlés to tell them how a question ought to be discussed. And sometimes men who rarely read papers telling them that such and such a subject (upon which many articles have already been printed) 'should be brought to public attention!" How different the competent and welcome adviser. He is a diligent reader and understands and remembers what he reads. His suggestions are always valuable. They may not be used to-day or to-morrow, but in time they will be worked in in some suitable place.

For him there is always ready an easy chair in the editorial-room, which he never speaks of as a "sanctum." He is sensible, too, in that he knows when to come and when to go. Never does he consume time by stating that he is "going to be very brief," or linger and linger after he has risen to go.

Long life to him. In comparison with some others, he shines out like the Kohinoor beside a potato.

HARD, INDEED.

The Philadelphia Times, in referring to the death of Major Wilkinson at the hands of the Pillagers, says that "It is hard for a man to have come through some of the fiercest battles of the civil war, to have escaped the Mausers in Cuba and the typhoid at Camp Wikoff, is possibly Howard Gould's sentiment, to die in an Indian ambuscade."

Hard, indeed. But in great part this will be the story of thousands of our young men if the Republican policy of imperialism is carried out. If the humanitarianism of Hannaism obtains, thousands of our young men who have escaped the Mausers in Cuba and the typhoid in mismanaged camps will die in the Philipand negritoes.

The Atlanta Constitution says that most of the returns of the late election in Georgia are in. The amendment to postmasters, marshals, magistrates, con- the Constitution of the State proposing stables, policemen, and teachers, and that the judges and solicitors of the would try to make us concede that a Superior courts shall be elected by the the negro is as good as a white man. But, people has been adopted. Of eighty-three thank Heaven, they have not that power; countles heard from on this question, nor will they ever have it-unless white fifty-nine voted in favor of the change Virginians sap and mine the Democratic and twenty-three against it. The net popular majority in those eightythree countles is 17,482. Fifty counties have not yet seat in their returns. The table of returns received shows that the opposition to the amend-Despite diplomatic assurances to the ment was most pronounced in the counties where the Populists are plentiful.

> "The Russian press urges that the Fashoda dispute be settled by arbitration." So the Czar's peace idea is not without honor in its own country.

> Quay gave expression to the idea of "shaking the plum-tree," but he by no means invented the art.

The Indian war is over, we presum but there is still pow-wow-erful opposition, it is said.

The Paris strike is over, it is reported. It was not a ten-strike for the working-

GENERAL MILES'S PLIGHT.

It is said that General Miles was igored or snubbed at the luncheon and reeption given the President at the Omaha

Exposition day before yesterday. The General was in Omaha, but he was not invited to cut any figure in the cerenonies of the day. Of course, it may be possible that the Committee of Arrangenents overlooked the presence of Miles and unintentionally omitted him from the place of prominence his rank entitled him to, but the circumstance is suspicious, in view of the well-known fact that the President sides with Alger rather than with Miles.

And that is a vary serious matter, indeed, for Miles. It means that so long as McKinley continues in the presidency the General will often, if not always, have the cold shoulder turned to him. It also means that, even if Congress revives the grade of lieutenant-general of the army, it is not at all likely the President will nominate Miles to fill the position. Thus we see that the war, instead of satisfying the cravings of Miles's ambition, has been highly injurious to him. So far as we know the story of the controversy between Miles and Alger, we are disposed to side with the General rather than with the politician; but we should like to have more information. So would the people generally.

The Alger Investigating Committee, in stead of examining witnesses who are well known to be ignorant of the matters as to which the public wish early information should have begun by calling Miles and Shafter before them. Alger stands towards the commission in the relation of an accused person, and we think is entitled to be heard last; but it is sheer nonsense to be examining officers of inferior rank before Miles and Shafter have been put upon the witness stand.

General Miles, though the senior officer of our army, is practically in disgrace, in so far as the petty persecutions of Alger and Corbin can disgrace him. He is consulted about nothing of consequence, and Alger and Corbin have even gone so far as to issue orders in his name which he never saw until they appeared in print! Yet the commission goes on taking the depositions of other officers upon minor questions! However, the truth will out sooner or later. We may not hear it before the elections come off, but we shall hear it when Congress orders an investigation-which it will certainly do.

The country would like to know pre cisely what is the trouble between Alger and Miles, and who is to blame; also, to what degree each of these high and mighty functionaries is blameable for the blunders, extravagance, and hurtful favoritism that marked our brief and not too glorious war.

GLADSTONE'S HOME.

Great changes have taken place in Hawarden Castle, the famous home of Gladstone, since the "grand old man was called hence, and the splendid estab lishment will now come under a nev regime. There is a sad story of family misunderstandings in this change and the still sadder picture of an aged widow who must leave the hearthside where she has reigned for years.

Mr. Gladstone only had a life interest in Hawarden Castle, and the property will now pass to the charge of Hon, Mrs. William Henry Gladstone, the widow of the famous statesman's eldest son. This son inherited the estate from his uncle, old Mrs. Gladstone's brother, Sir Stepher Glynne. And on Mr. William Henry Gladstone's death it was his boy, the now 12-year-old William Glynne Gladstone, who became the real owner of the place. Yet in spite of this the lad's mother was never permitted to make her home at Hawarden. She did not get compelled to be disgusted by on with her dead husband's brothers or to have regarded her as "persona non grata." The unpopular woman, whether justly or unjestly treated, submitted to this snubbing in silence so long as her distinguished father-in-law was alive. For the noble old commoner she entertained the highest regard, and during his lifetime she had no say whatever in the management of what was virtually her son's estate. But since the "grand old man" has answered the inexorable summons she sees no reason for further submissiveness and will now assert herself. Old Mrs. Gladstone will no longer be mistress of Hawarden, and she must find another home. With her will go the hostile brothers and sisters, for it is hardly probable that the family affair

will be patched up. Old Mrs. Gladstone will probably spend the remainder of her days with her son, Herbert, in London, and will be cared for and nursed by her unmarried daughter, Helen. It is said that since her husband's death she has fallen into a complete state of dotage and does not even seem to realize that she has become a

"All for love, and the world well lost," since he has just forfeited \$5,000,000 which would otherwise have come to him from his father's estate, by marrying Miss Kate Clemmons, an actress, against the wishes and advice of the trustees of the estate, which action brings about the forfeiture above referred to, according to the will. He has about \$5,000,000 left, however, and he ought to be able to scuffle along

The President at Omaha.

(New York Times.) The President seems to have commit-ted himself at Omaha, to Secretary Alger and all other delinquents who have appeared or may appear. Of course nobody will be inclined to dissent the President's praise of the fighting qualities of the army, and of the perfection of organization and the adminis-trative efficiency as well of the fight, ing qualities of the navy. But the gist of his speech is that the Administration relies and appeals to the country upon its "war record." These are the sen-tences in which the President deprecates and strives to stifle criticism upon the mismanagement of the War Department;

"Who will embarrass the government by sowing seeds of dissatisfaction among by sowing seeds of dissatisfaction among the brave men who stand ready to serve and die if need be for their country? Who will darken the councils of the republic in this hour requiring the united wisdom of all? Shall we deny to ourselves what the rest of the world so freely and so justly accords to us? The men who endur-ed in the short but decisive struggle its hardebles its privations, whether in the hardships, its privations, whether in the field or camp, on ship, or in the siege, and planned and achieved its victories,

and planned and achieved its victories, will never tolerate impeachment, either direct or indirect, of those who won a peace whose great gain to civilization is yet unknown and unwritten."

Decause we beat a third-class and effete Power, this means, therefore, it is unpatriotic to point out the blunders hy which the result was imperilied—blunders that would have been fatal if we had had a powerful enemy. We must say nothing about the awful inefficiency of the War Department, by which twenty times as many lives were sacrificed as were taken by the Spaniards in battle. The people of the United States will not forbear criticism of the President for

putting a small politician in the War Department and keeping him there after his incompetency had been exposed, and they will hold the President to his responsibility. It is very unwise for him to appeal to "the men who planned and achieved the victories" for condemnation of this criticism. The mouths of these men are sealed by military discipline. If they were unsealed the President must know that they would be the first to condemn the prostitution of the army to politics, the first to demand that order shall be taken to prevent future order shall be taken to prevent future Algers from doing mischief.

Thoughtful and Thoughtless.

(New York Times.) Wife: Fred is such a thoughtful hus-band; he never goes away in the morning without kissing me good-by. Ladws Maid: Nor me, eithen

Slippery Flippancy.

(Boston Commercial Bulletin.) There was an old person named Hannah no fell on a piece of a banana.
With a slip and a slide
More stars she espied Than are seen in the Star-Spangled Ban-

A gentleman flew to assist her.
He picked up her muff and her wrister.
"Did you fall, Ma'am," he cried,
"Do you think," she replied
"I sat down for the fun of it, mister?"

Smarter Than He Looked.

(Boston Bulletin.) A Boston broker boasts of rather bright office boy. One of his friends, dropping in at the office, dispatched the lad for some cigars, giving him a dellar bill to pay for them. The boy returned with cigars. The caller commended him for purchasing such good ones, and passed them around. Shortly after the broshrewd urchin handed him six clears, with the remark: "Ere's the rest of them cigars, Mr. Margin.

Therein the Danger. (Warrenton Sentinel.)

The election comes off on the 8th of November. As yet there is no opposition to our distinguished representative Mr. John F. Rixey, and therein lies our danger. It is impossible to interest the peo-ple where there is no contest and it is possible for an opposition candidate to Democrats a great deal of trouble Mr. Rixey has been an excellent represen-tative. If he had done nothing but advocate the establishment of an experimental farm at Arlington to be under the supervision of the government he would have entitled himself to the hearty support of the people of this district, a such a farm would be of inestimable value to them. He has not only done this, but has supported every measure of fered in the interest of the people, whose claims he has urged at every available opportunity. Such a representative is worthy of more than a scattering vote, and, opposition or no opposition, the peo-ple should turn out and give him cordial

Russell Mention. LEBANON, VA., October 12.—(Special.) Rev. and Mrs. P. H. Pernell celebrated

yesterday their silver wedding. A large of guests were invited. J. W. Bausell, editor of the News, returned yesterday from Dickenson Court-He says that Sam Williams made one of the best speeches there on courtday he has heard during the campaign Williams's speech at Grundy in joint dis-cussion with Gleaves was also said to have been very effective. Williams re-fuses to feel "sore" over his own defea over his own defeat two years ago, and is giving strong aid to Judge Rhea. W. E. Burns is at Abingdon in attend-

nce upon Federal Court.
The Rev. J. W. W. Shuler left to-day for Morristown to attend the annual ses-sion of the Holston Conference. His report will represent every church claim paid in full. No town in the Southwest gives more to the Church and education,

size considered, than Lebanor Mrs. Spotts and granddaughter, Miss Graham, of Tazewell, are visiting rela-

The Bristol Carnival opens to-morrow A number of persons from Russell county

Tournament at West Point.

will attend.

Tournament at West Point.

WEST POINT, VA., October 13.—(Special.)—That the knightly tournament is still a popular diversion with the people of the Peninsula was made evident last Tuesday, when several hundred ladies and gentlemen assembled at the race-track just out of town to witness a contest of knights from several countles, during a steady, disagreeable drizzle.

The successful rider was Mr. Sydney S. Curtis, Knight of Warwick, who won the first prize, a sliver cup and a handsome saddle. To Mr. N. H. Montague, Knight of Pauls, fell the hongr of crowning Miss Annie Edwards, of West Point, as Queen of Love and Beauty. This ceremony was performed in the evening at the Terminal Hotel, where an elegant supper and ball was given.

The coronation address was delivered by Hon. John Lamb, of Henrico, who made a chaste and eloquent oration, that was pronounced by those whe were present unusually profound and thoughtful. Captain Lamb, in a masterly way, showed the great influence of woman in affairs of State, and paid the fair sex a beautiful tribute.

After the coronation exercises the floor

of State, and paid the fair sex a beautiful tribute.

After the coronation exercises the floor of the large dining-room was cleared, and the dancers took possession, and tripped the light fantastic toe until midnight. Among the many graceful dancers on the floor were Misses Edwards, Greene, and Haley, of West Point; the Misses Brookes, of King and Queen, and Miss Annie Jones, of New Kent.

Accident to General Stith Bolling PETERSBURG, VA., October 13.—(Special.)—General Stith Bolling, postmaster of this city, had his thigh dislocate while he was disembarking from a traito-night. He is suffering great pain.

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Sounded So Truthful

I persuaded her to try this medicine. Before finishing the first bottle there was an improvement in her condition. She no longer threw up her food and her headache was not as severe. She took in all four bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla and several boxes of Hood's Pills and regained her weight. She is now enjoying the best of health. Her digestion is good and she can eat almost anything she wishes. She is 42 years old and says she feels as well as when she was 16. Hood'r Sarsaparilla made a complete cure in her case."
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DEMOCRATIC CANVASS.

Appointments for Public Speaking in This State. State Democratic Committee Room &, Chamber of Commerce Bld'g. Richmond, Va.

The following appointments for public speaking are announced:

HON, THOMAS S. MARTIN. Culpeper (court), October 17th, Brunswick (court), October 24th. Surry (court), October 25th. Charlotte (court), November 7th. HON. JOHN F. RIXEY. Culpeper (court), October 17th.

Stafford (court), October 19th. Fauquier (court), October 24th. HON, SYDNEY P. EPES. Prince Edward (court), October 17th. Nottoway (court), November 3d.

Greenesville (court), November 7th. HON. JAMES HAY. Harrisonburg, October 17th (court). Luray, October 24th (court). Charlottesville, November 7th (court).

HON. SAMUEL W. WILLIAMS.

Grayson, October 18th (court), HON. H. D. FLOOD. Amherst (court), October 17th. Augusta (court), October 24th. Nottoway (court), November 3d. Greenesville (court), November 7th. HON. P. J. OTEY.

Roamoke City, October 17th (night). Smyrna, Bedford county, October 21st might). Penksville, Bedford county, October 22d afternoon). Montvale, Bedford county, October 18th 7:30 P. M. Otter Hill, Bedford county, October

19th, 7:30 P. M Sedalla, Bedford county, October 20th. 7:30 P. M. Halifax (court), October 24th.

Republican Grove, Hallfax county, October 25th (2 P. M.). Mount Carmel, Hallfax county, Octobe 26th (2 P. M.). South Boston, Halifax county, October 26th (8 P. M.).

Virgilina, Hallfax county, October 27th

Oak Level, Hallfax county, October 28th (2 P. M.). Clover, Halifax county, October 29th Scotteburg, Halifax county, October 29th & P. M.). (2 P. M.).

HON. JOHN LAMB. Hillsboro', October 15th (night). Dinwiddle (court) October 17th. Hanover (court), October 19th. Charles City (court), October 20th, King William (court), October 25th, West Point, October 25th (night). HON. WILLIAM P. BARKSDALE. Roanoke (court) (Salem), October 17th, Bedford (court), October 24th. Montgomery (court), October 25th, Charlotte (court), November 7th. HON, J. M. QUARLES.

Jackson, Botetourt county, October 14th Jenning's Creek, Botetourt county, Occober 15th (afternoon). Roaring Run, Botetourt county, October 15th (night).

Amherst (court), October 17th. Staunton (court), October 24th. HON. J. M. QUARLES AND C. A. BOYCE, ESQ. Madison, Amherst county, October 17th

Pedlar Mills, Amherst county, October 18th (night). Allwood, Amherst county, October 19th

Sandidges, Amherst county, October 19th (afternoon). Lowesville, Amherst county, October 19th (night). Massie's Mills, Nelson county, October 20th (afternoon).

Slaughter's, Nelson county, October 21st (afternoon).
HON. PEMBROKE PETTIT. Amherst (court) October 17th. Nelson (court), October 24th.

JEFFERSON WALLACE, ESQ. Goochland (court), October 17t Hanover (court), October 19th. ew Kent (court), October 20th King William (court), October 25th HON. N. B. EARLY, JR. Madison (court), October 27th, Waynesboro', November 5th (night, Albemarle (court), November 7th,

CLEM R. GREEN, ESQ. Salem (court), October 17th. Roanoke City, October 17th (night) FRANK T. GLASGOW, ESQ.

Nelson (court), October 24th. JUDGE W. HODGES MANN. Dinwiddie (court), October 17th, Amelia Court, October 27th.

JUDGE WILLIAM F. RHEA. Smythe County Court, October 17th, Craig County Court, October 15th, Wise County Court, October 28th, HON. C. M. WALLACE, JR. Prince George (court), October 13th, Madison (court), October 27th.

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STUART-HAYNES.

A Pretty Church Wedding in King and Queen. KING AND QUEEN COURTHOUSE.

October 13.-(Special.)-Society around Bruington, in this county, has been all astir for several days over the marriage of Miss Carrie Campbell Haynes to Mr. Walker Dabney Stuart, which occurred at that place yesterday morning at 11 o'clock. The church was handsomely decorated with evergreens and the pulpit was banked with flowers and growing plants. The church was darkened as to sunlight and the artificial lights were shaded with pink shades. The organ, hidden by the banks of flowers in the pulpit, was presided over by Miss Florence Fleet, and the bridal party entered to the strains of the wedding march from Lohengrin and in the

George; Misses Cella B. Haynes and Eleanor Haynes; Messis. John R. Haynes and McKim Fieet; Misses Virgie Jackson and Laura Porter; Messis. C. W. Porter, Vicate Misses Evelyn Jr., and J. W. Fleet; Misses Evelyn Ryland and Lizzie Rice; Messrs. C. C. Haynes and Phil Croxton; Misses Juliet Walker and Annie Walker; Messrs. V. Vaiden and James Lewis; Misses Alice Walker and Rosalie Bland; Messrs. S. C. Donnan and Fred Hobson, and Misses

Donnan and Fred Hobson, and Misses Annie Ryland and Lucy Mosely.

The bride, preceded by Miss Jessie Haynes, carrying the marriage ring upon a silver waiter, and accompanied by her first cousin and maid of honor. Miss Caroline Holiaday, entered by one aisie, while the groom, accompanied by Mr. Hugh Cooke (best man), ascended the other. Having met at the aliar, they were Having met at the altar, they were made man and wife by Dr. A. A. Rice, an uncle of the bride's, in a most impressive manner.

The tableau presented was one long to

be remembered. To the strains of Men-delsohn's wedding march, the bridal party left the church in reverse order from that by which they entered. The large crowd in attendance attested the universal popularity of the bride. After leaving the church the bridal party went to Walkerton, and after refreshments had been served the bride and groom left for Lester Manor, where they took the train for a northern tour. The bridal presents, both numerous and

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Boys' School Hose, a special grade for real service, double knees, heels, soles, and toes, unusually good, for 25c. pair, Colored Hosiery, in all the new tint-ings, in silk, lisle, and cotton, with prices ranging from 25c. to \$2.50 per pair.

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handsome, are but additional evidences of the popularity of the young couple. The bride is the daughter of Captain The bride is the daughter of Captain W. T. Haynes, of Walkerton, and is much beloved by a wide circle of relatives and friends, as well for her charming personality as for her lovely character. The groom is a travelling salesman for a Richmond bouse and is very popular with his hosts of friends, and is held in high esteem by his employees.

THE COCKADE CITY. A Narrow Escape-Very Ill-Brief

Items of Interest.

PETERSBURG, VA., October 13 .- (Special.)-Mr. E. A. Gill, a citizen of Dinwiddie, had a narrow escape from serious accident this morning. He was crossing the railroad track at the lower end of Third street, with a wagon-load of lumber, and the wagon sustained a collision with the shifting-engine. His wagen was badly wrecked. Mr. William Gill and his badly wrecked.

brother escaped injury.

Mrs. Williams, wife of Councilman
Joseph Williams, a lovely and highly-respected lady, is critically ill, and it is
feared her demise may be a matter of
but a short time. She is a sister of Hon. The funeral of Mr. Edmund G. James took place this morning. Fifty years ago, and down to some vears subsequent to the war, Mr. James did an im-

mense business here as a wholesale drygoods merchant. A lady visitor from Philadelphia, while passing along one of the streets with a friend last evening, had her pocket-book snatched from her hand by a small negro boy. The ladies gave the alarm, and the boy became so frightened that, though he

made his escape, he dropped the purse, which was recovered. which was recovered.

The bleycle-riders and many citizens who do not own wheels are digning the petition to the Common Council, asking for rideways along the gutters of some of the streets, and proposing that all bleycles be specially taxed to make and maintain such improvement. There seems no doubt that wheel-riding on any of the sidewalks of the city will soon be abolished by law.

ished by law. PROPOSALS.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS: Office of City Engineer,
City Hall,
Richmond, Va., October 12, 1898.
SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE REceived at this office until 4 o'clock P. M.,

on MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1898, for the CONSTRUCTION OF THE FOL-LOWING SEWERS: In Broad street, from a point about half way between Thirty-third and Thirty-fourth streets to Thirty-fourth street. In Main street from Twenty-ninth to

fourth streets to Thirty-fourth street.

In Main street from Twenty-ninth to Thirtieth street. In alley from Harrison to Ryland, between Franklin and Grace streets.

Sewer in Fifth street from Bacon-Quarter branch to a point south of ravine between Jackson and Duval streets, with branches along Baker street from Fifth to Third street, along Duval street, from Fifth to Fourth street, along Fourth street from ravine between Jackson and Duval streets to Duval street and along Fourth street from ravine between Baker and Preston streets to Baker street.

And for Granite Curbs and Spall Paving, as per list on file in the City Englineer's office.

Each hid for Sewers must be accom-

Each bid for Sewers must be accompanied by a certified check for \$250, and each bid for Granite Curbs and Spall Paving must be accompanied by a certified check for \$100.

Specifications, schedules, and full explanation for bidding can be seen at this office.

e Committee on Streets reserves the The Committee on Streets reserves the right to reject any or all bids, or to let the work as a whole or in separate parts.

W. E. CUTSHAW.

Oc. 13-td City Engineer.

MEETINGS.

MASONIC NOTICE.—DOVE LODGE.—The members of DOVE LODGE. No. 51, A. F. and A. M., will attend a stated communication of the lodge at the Masonic Temple on THIS (Friday) EVENING, October 14, 1888, at 7 o'clock, the hour having been changed from 7:30 to 7. The cards sent to members have the old hour, and are incorrect. Members of sister lodges and transient brethren cordially and fraternally invited. nd transient breta.
ernally invited.

By order of the Worshipful Master.
BEN T, AUGUST,
Secretary.

NOTICE.—THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE WORKINGMAN'S LAND AND IMPROVEMENT COMPANY will be held at the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac railroad shops on MONDAY, October 17, 1898, at 7:30 P. M., for the election of officers and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before it. JOHN T. ROTH, oc 14-3t Secretary.

NOTICE.

Southern Railway Cempany,
Richmond, Va., October 1, 1888.
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE
STOCKHOLDERS OF THE SOUTHERN
RAILWAY COMPANY, for the purpose
of electing directors, and for the transaction of such other business as may
come before the meeting, will be held
at the office of the company, in the city
of Richmond, Va., on TUESDAY, October 18, 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M.

JOSIAH F, HILLA,
oc 2-tOc 18 in Secretary.

Old Dominion

Building and Loan Association,
Richmond, Va., October 1, 1888.
A CALLED MEETING OF THE
STOCKHOLDERS OF THE OLD DOMINION BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION will be held in the Hall of the
Chamber of Commerces, Richmond, Va.,
on the 2d DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1893,
at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of
considering the question of the conversion of other shares into perpetual stock,
and to take such action in connection
therewith as may be deemed necessary
by the stockholders, E. A. BARBER,
oc 2-td Secretary.

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THERE WILL BE A CATHOLIC Bazaar held at Leader Hall, from October 11th to 22d, inclusive, for the benefit of the Manchester Catholic church. Musical entertainment every night. The

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Mr. AND Mrs. FRANK STAYTON
THOMPSON.
YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATHURSDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 20th,
Admission will be by ticket, which may
be had at the music stores on and after be had at the music stores on and after Saturday, October 15th.

Rev. H. M. WHARTON AND **PASSION PLAY** AUDITORIUM.

Broad-Street Park. Every evening—8:15—Every evenling.

Admission......10 cents For the benefit of Orphanages.

PROFESSIONAL.

W. G. PILKINTON. ATTORNEY AT LAW,
PILKINTON POST-OFFICE,
POWHATAN COUNTY VA. Attend all county courts in Southside oc 6-3m

DIVIDEND NOTICES.

Office of the Watt Plow Company, THE DIRECTORS OF THIS COMPANY THE DIRECTORS OF THIS COMPANA have this day declared the usual semi-ane nual divide d of THREE PER CENT out of the earnings of the past six months, payable to the stockholders on or after the 29th instant, at the office of the company.

A. C. SINTON, President.

M. Call, Secretary.

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